



REVOLUCIÓN LATINA

DARE TO GO BEYOND



D2GB School Arts Program Newsletter

"Making a difference through the Arts."

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"SUMMER TIME..."

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5th Annual D2GB Summer Camp is a hit!:

Nearly 30 Broadway performers and International Artists donated their time as volunteer instructors. Read about it!

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RL KBB Visits "Skippyjon Jones" & "Zapata":

RL's *Kids Beyond Broadway* was able to give the gift of theater to young people by visiting 2 great shows this month...

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"Odd Life..." Sock Drive:

Most people can say that socks are the least of their concerns when it comes to clothing, but for someone who is homeless, it is a completely different story...

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Summer has been warm and full of opportunities for us all. This summer, the D2GB School Arts Program has been in communication with our collaborators as well as taking opportunities to strengthening our relationships with our RL teams.

Through the teamwork of everyone involved at R.Evolución Latina, we have been able to continue to support the children of our communities, as well as the dreams and goals of our own RL team. Take a look inside this month's newsletter and see some of the collaborations we have been a part of and share in our inspiration....



5th Annual D2GB Children's Performing Arts Camp is a success!

- Jose Restrepo - D2GB School Arts Program Coordinator

What an awesome thing it is to be a part of the transformative power of art. More than a dozen Broadway and International Artists, including cast members from hit shows *The Lion King*, *Fela*, *Bring It On*, *Book of Mormon*, and the original productions of *In The Heights*, *Swing!* and *Kiss of the Spider Woman*, among others, donated their time as volunteer teachers for R.Evolución Latina's 5th Annual Dare to



Go Beyond (D2GB) Children's Performing Arts Camp which offered nearly 200 campers the opportunity to dare to dream and participate in a week of art and imagination. This year, we added new classes such as puppetry, on camera acting, cartoon voice over and an "imagination Boot Camp!"



Also, this year, in collaboration with the film "Step Up Revolution", we were able to go beyond and end our camp with a flash mob on 52nd Street! But it didn't stop there...



The week after the camp we brought 50 camp participants and their parents to the pre-screening of "Step Up Revolution".

"I am taking D2GB with me everywhere I go now and I will try to face my challenges"
-Marie Vargas, Camper 15

"I learned lots about commitment and hard work..."
-Brian Alarcon, Camper, 16

Thank you to all the teachers who donated their time, RL volunteers, the NYC Police department, Roseland Ballroom, Peter and Ana Edwards, Broadway Cares Equity Fights AIDS, and everyone who made this possible!

Skippyjon Jones



RL continued to support our members and our community by bringing over 60 of our D2GB campers to see the TheatreworksUSA production of “Skippyjon Jones” at the Lucille Lortel Theater....



....and 80 volunteers, campers and parents to see the New York Musical Theater Festival's production of “Zapata! The Musical.”



Thank you to TheatreworksUSA, & the 2012 NYMF Festival for your support and generosity!

RL + DISNEY'S "THE ODD LIFE OF TIMOTHY GREEN" SOCK DRIVE



We need your new socks!

A pair of new socks costs less than a cup of Starbucks coffee. Won't you consider giving up a cup to make a difference in someone's life?

R.Evolución Latina is collaborating with The Walt Disney Studios film "The Odd Life of Timothy Green" along with Hanes and the Association of Gospel Rescue Missions (AGRM) and participating in a Sock Drive to provide new socks to families in need. Hanes will be standing by to match donations up to 10,000 pairs of socks. AGRM will distribute the socks to the families they aid.

Please bring some new socks to donate!

R.Evolución Latina will be accepting donations in our offices (165 W. 46th St., Suite 1312). Feel free to stop by whenever we are here to drop off some socks for a worthy cause. Before you stop by, please give a call to the office at 646.454.5720 or email info@revolucionlatina.org to make sure that the office is open. You are also welcomed to drop the socks off during our next monthly meeting, August 19th 11am-1pm, 13th Floor of the AEA building (165 W. 46th St.)

Thank you in advance for your involvement. Again, please feel free to email with any questions or concerns.

Un mensaje especial de Robin De Jesús:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Wkpgo8MOM6w>